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CZAR FEARS A GENERAL WAR

Wants To Know the Attitude of the United States Regarding the Situation.

THINKS FAVOR IS TOWARD JAPAN

His Ministry Is Much Worried Over the Possible Part Uncle Sam Might Decide to Play in the War Game.

Washington, Jan. 20.—Russia will make inquiry soon of the state department as to the attitude of this government toward the differences of Russia and Japan in the far East.

Ordinarily the position of the United States would not be questioned, but the news from Tokyo shows that Japan considers herself possessed of the moral support of America. The statement has been published, without contradiction in Washington, that there exists "a most kindly feeling for Japan in official government circles," and that, so far as personal feeling goes, Japan will have the best wishes of high officials should she go to war with Russia.

Irritates the Czar.

It is stated by St. Petersburg dispatches this has created a feeling of irritation toward the United States at the Russian capital. Russia considers that the desire of the Czar for peace and his efforts to avert war are handicapped by this representation of America's position. The Japanese minister has called at the state department frequently of late. He keeps his government closely advised of the state of public feeling here. He is naturally the most prolific source of the Japanese foreign office's information on this subject. The tone of his cables to Tokyo is evidently reflected in Japanese confidence of the moral support and silent official sympathy of this government.

Russians Complain.

Just after the American-Chinese commercial treaty was ratified, government officials and diplomats agree that the United States can no longer be involved in the far eastern conflagration if its attitude was quiet. Since then scarcely a day has passed but there has been a note of complaint from St. Petersburg about what the state of American official and public feeling is reported to be.

ST. LOUIS HAS A BIG WALK-OUT

Eight Hundred Cab Men in the Mound City Quit Work This Morning.

(Special by Scripps-McRae.)

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 20.—A general strike of eight hundred livery drivers was inaugurated this morning. They demand recognition of the union, \$12.50 per week, twelve hours to constitute a day's work, and time and a quarter for over time.

MINERS FORCED CAPTAIN TO OBEY THEIR ORDERS

Striking Trimmers Compelled Him to Order Men From the Mines—Company Had Reduced Wages.

(Special by Scripps-McRae.)

Houghton, Mich., Jan. 20.—"Call up the men or we'll throw you down the shaft."

This was the ultimatum given by 200 striking trimmers of the Quincy mine to the captain in charge at the Mesnard shaft, the only part of the mine in operation, when they demanded that the men be called up and the engines shut down.

The captain refused at first, but was notified that if the miners were not up by a specified time the strikers would throw him down the shaft. The engineers also were threatened, and as a result all the miners were brought in.

Cause of Trouble.

The trouble was caused by the company's lowering trimmers' wages \$5 a month because of the introduction of an electric trimming system, the change in wages being made without notification to the employees. The entire mine is now closed down, surface work also being suspended. The Quincy mills will also close for lack of rock. The sheriff and deputies are guarding the company's property.

LOCALS IN ARREARS.

Fully One-Third of the Anthracite Unions Have Not Paid Up.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 20.—At the opening of the conference of the

An interchange of views covering the whole situation, will soon take place between Count Cassini and Secretary Hay, and it is expected to clarify the international atmosphere and cement Russo-American relations.

OIL ON MARBLE FLOORS.

Congressman Cooper of Wisconsin Sustains Serious Injury.

Washington, Jan. 20.—It was slippery in the halls of Congress. Representative Mann of Chicago, in charge of the pure food bill, while entering the chamber of the House let slip to the highly polished marble floor one of the many bottles he carried to be used as exhibits in his opening argument in favor of more stringent laws to prohibit the sale of deleterious food products. The particular bottle contained something that looked like olive oil, and was marked olive oil. It had one of the properties of olive oil in being oily, and several congressmen gave ludicrous acrobatic performances before a scrubwoman and her brush removed the slippery substance. General Blingham of Pennsylvania, the "father of the House," slipped on the spot where the oil had spread over the floor. His feet went out from under him and he fell heavily. The general was helped to his committee-room, where it was found he was not injured. In the meantime Representative Cooper of Wisconsin endeavored to walk on the oiled marble with a like result. Mr. Cooper was lame from his fall. Representative Mann's desk was a miniature store, being covered with numerous cans and bottles containing articles offered for sale as food products. The principal opposition to the bill is based on states rights, the claim being set up that the federal government should not attempt to control the trade within the states, but that each state should be permitted to make its own pure food laws.

MADÉ Their Children Beg.

New York, Jan. 20.—Patrick McCarthy, who says he formerly was a tutor in Greek in a preparatory school in Oxford, England, and his wife were held by Magistrate Crane, charged with using their two children, a boy and a girl, to beg.

Steamer Sinks.

Bridgeport, Conn., Jan. 20.—The steamer John H. Starin, bound from New York to New Haven with thirteen passengers, ran into ice off Bridgeport. She sank in the mud flats. Her passengers were taken off.

At a special election at Black River Falls a proposition for the city to bond itself and buy the Owens water power was carried by a vote of 4 to 1.

St. Peter's Polish Catholic congregation at Stevens Point has decided to erect next summer a combined parochial school and sisters' residence, to cost \$25,000.

Homer Krentz, aged 16 years, son of C. L. Krentz, a merchant of Westfield, accidentally shot and killed himself by taking a .22 caliber rifle from a buggy muzzle first.

Sneak thieves hid in Samuelson's dry goods store at Eau Claire on Tuesday afternoon and, after the store had closed at 6 o'clock robbed the till of \$23. and escaped.

The charter of the Oakdale Fire Insurance company having expired, the policy holders met Monday afternoon and reorganized the company. The new company accepts all outstanding risks.

District Attorney Gittings of Racine is investigating a complaint that Hans Skarli, a farmer of the town of Norway, cut timber from a forty acre tract of land belonging to Racine county, which Starin lost by a refusal to pay taxes.

The season for harvesting ice in and about Oconomowoc is closing.

The Knickerbocker company employed 140 men and with favorable weather, will have harvested 40,000 tons of ice within one month. Two thousand one hundred carloads were shipped last season.

Farmers of Fond du Lac county will hold a meeting at the courthouse Friday afternoon to start a movement to have contracts signed to raise at least 6,000 acres of sugar beets for the proposed sugar factory.

Nothing is asked by the company except the guaranty of the beets needed by the factory for two years.

Dr. John R. Mitchell of Green Bay was elected president of the Fox River Valley Medical Society at Green Bay on Tuesday, succeeding Dr. J. P. Noel of Menominee. Dr. A. C. Moller of Daperis and Dr. Edward Sanbridge of Stephenson were elected vice presidents, and Dr. J. S. Reeves of Appleton was reelected secretary and treasurer.

The delinquencies of locals in the three anthracite districts is the cause of much criticism among bituminous miners. While only three locals in the big Ohio district were reported in arrears, two in the whole Pittsburgh district, and not a single one in the Indiana bituminous districts, almost a third of the locals in the three anthracite districts were reported in arrears for two or more months, and not entitled to vote in convention. Some of these have settled and will be represented in the convention, but there still remain a large number of anthracite locals in bad standing, and the three districts will not have nearly the voting power they had two years ago.

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HELD QUARTERLY MEETING OF THE HUMANE SOCIETY

A Delightful Evening Was Spent at the Residence of Mr. and Mrs. Peters--
Reports of Work Done.

Last evening the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. John Peters was filled with members of the Humane society and kindred organizations and the first quarterly meeting of the present year proved to be one of the most successful meetings ever held in the history of the society. The regular business of the evening opened with the report of the secretary and treasurer of the society. Immediately after which the Band of Mercy was called to order and a delightful program was rendered by the young members of this latest addition to the ranks of those who pity the life of the dumb animals and believe in treating all animals with kindness. The following was the program rendered:

The Program

Opening hymn, Band of Mercy; piano solo, Agnes Joyce; reading, Arminia Beck; reading, Louise Myhr; duet, guitar and mandolin, Maude Sherman and Eleanor Enright; reading, Mary O'Grady; reading, Ethel Jenkins; reading, Mable Crossman; piano solo, Edna Shoemaker; reading, Althea Hutchinson; reading, Ethel Walker; recitation, Lawrence Thiele; piano solo, Hazel Fisher. The readings were all selections from the leaflets of the Humane society and quite appropriate to the occasion.

Denton's Talk

Rec. R. C. Denton then gave a short address to all present on hunting work, which was appreciated by all. After this, all present sat down to the tables and refreshments were served by a party of young ladies, and an hour was spent in telling stories and conversation. The young folks reported at this time that their name was the Helmstreet Band of Mercy, and that another one had been formed in the Second ward and named the Fletcher Band of Mercy. Dr. E. F. Woods sent word that the Third ward was not to be left out and he would furnish a full equipment of hooks, certificates and badges for a Band of Mercy from the Jefferson school.

Quarterly Report

The quarterly report of the Janeville Humane society, given by Mrs. E. F. Woods, was as follows:

The remark is frequently heard, how little suffering there is in Janeville.

A question asked often is, "What is the Humane society for and what does it do?" It has done its work quietly for years past. Visits are made almost daily, but the reports have never been made public for fear of hurting people's feelings, but it seems as though when a person becomes so lost to feeling as to abuse a child or even a dumb animal, that the same person could not be wronged by the public knowing the facts.

It hardly seems possible here in Janeville that such things could happen, as to a dog to a post and leave him to starve to death! that a father could abuse his own baby when it was sick, near to death; that man could knock down his own horse with a stick of wood because it could not draw a heavy load; that a horse could be used to draw heavy loads on the smooth and icy roads without being shod, then turned out to pick up his living as best he could. And yet, these and others have been reported to the society the past three months. Following is a list of cases reported to the society this quarter:

Cases Stated

No. 1. Oct. 25.—Horse that had a leg broken and set, was driven on a run, as he could not trot. Was whipped to make him go. Owner put in another horse and this one was cured.

No. 2. Oct. 5.—Horse reported to be abused and pounded with club. Parties visited and complaint found to be unfounded.

No. 3. Oct.—Children abused and not cared for. Parents drink most of the time. Children taken away and sent to Sparta.

No. 4. Nov. 25.—Case reported of poison being left in lot and one dog poisoned. Complaint was made Nov. 25, and case set for Dec. 23d, at which time it was adjourned to Dec. 29th. Called and adjourned to Jan. 4th. Called and adjourned to Jan. 10th. Called and adjourned to Jan. 15th. January case tried in municipal court. Jury disagreed.

No. 5. Dec. 4.—Horse used in drawing sand, had dislocated hip and sore on foot, sand had gotten in sore and it was swollen up very bad. Horse was also in poor condition. On request, owner removed horse and put in a good one.

No. 6. Dec. 1.—Horse drove to delivery wagon, diseased. Mucus running from nostril and very offensive condition. Owner requested to take horse off wagon.

No. 7. Dec. 15.—Same horse reported by other parties as being so weak he could not pull wagon and driver had to whip him to make him go at all. Parties said if Humane society did not attend to it, they would apply to the court. Saw owner who took horse away and put a good horse in service.

No. 8. Dec. 16.—Horse reported left out from early evening until midnight, tied in front of building in city. Was not covered at times. Owner notified and no further complaint made.

No. 9. Dec. 16.—Two men arrested for abusing a horse, driving him under the whip, at last throwing him on Milwaukee street, men arrested and fined \$5 in court. Horse taken to livery stable. The next day it was found that it was so badly injured it had to be killed.

No. 10. Dec. 17.—Case reported, horse ill-used and poorly kept. Agent visited the place and found complaint overdrawn. No complaint was made by society.

No. 11. Dec. 21.—Old horse used for drawing loads, was not shod, hoofs worn down. When not at work was turned out to pick what it could. Notified owner. Dec. 23 complaint

her. Mrs. John Peters reported that she had collected the annual dues, \$1, from the members, as follows:

Members of Humane Society

C. S. Jackman, A. P. Burnham, Stanley B. Smith, Victor P. Richardson, W. G. Palmer, W. T. Van Kirk, E. B. Helmstreet, J. Thorogood, W. S. Jeffris, Wm. Smith, L. B. Carle, R. L. Colvin, W. J. Skelly, Dreidle Bros., T. P. Burns, Smith Drug Co., Mrs. E. D. Tallman, W. H. Greenman, S. C. Burham, Geo. D. Simpson, A. H. Sheldon & Co., C. S. Putnam, McCoo & Buss, Dr. W. H. Palmer, T. J. Ziegler Clothing Co., Geo. E. King, Wm. G. Wheeler, Jas. Harris, R. M. Postwick, E. W. Lowell, Mrs. Fred Capelle, C. W. Schwartz, Mrs. John Peters, R. J. Hart, D. Ryan & Son, Schaller Q. McKey Co., Whitehead & Matheson, H. L. McNamara, J. P. Thorne, Jas. A. Fatherson, E. C. Denton, S. C. Cobb, E. F. Carpenter, Elwin Field, McVicar Bros., Dr. D. B. Clark, Chas. Kemmerer, C. P. Beers, Nelson Bros., M. G. Jeffris, F. C. Burpee, Dr. E. F. Woods, Mrs. Leavitt, E. M. McGinnis, Mrs. A. P. Lovejoy, F. C. Grant, Jamesville Coal Co., S. B. Healdes, S. B. Balnes, Paul Rudolph, Mrs. C. L. Valentine, Harriet L. Marshall, Rev. W. A. Goebel, J. M. Postwick, J. L. Postwick, R. Valentine, Dr. Jas. Mills, F. A. Taylor, Dr. J. F. Pember, Dr. W. H. Judi, Geo. S. Parker, Jamesville Clothing Co., Mrs. G. R. Rumill, R. S. Brown, Miss M. Chittenden.

Mrs. Peters has turned the money over to the treasurer, holding her receipt for the same.

AMONG THE WORLD'S WORKERS

News Notes From Various Sources of Great Interest to the Workingmen.

Carroll D. Wright, United States Commissioner of Labor, who lectured recently in Youngstown, Ohio, does not believe in sympathetic strikes. He said in an interview: "I believe the Civic Federation is one of the means towards the solution of the labor situation. The solution is in the understanding of the men and employers. There is no reason why they should not settle all differences without calling out insiders. Arbitration means that both the men and the employers that they were unable to settle their disputes between themselves. Arbitration is alright but I don't believe in compulsory arbitration. It does no good. Nor am I in favor of sympathetic strikes. Strikes sometimes may be necessary. At least they are lawful."

The threatened strike at the Home steel and iron workers to be much slower than the wage reductions of the steel and iron workers to be much larger than those announced. These were given as ranging from 5 to 25 per cent. The threatened strike reveals them to be actually as high as 55 per cent.

The news reports form Pittsburgh state that further wage reductions in the iron and steel industry are probable. The iron and steel industries are the leading industries of the country. It is consequently likely that other industries will follow their lead and do as they are doing.

The most encouraging feature in industrial conditions is found in the resumption of work at factory, foundry, mill and furnace of 60,000 men who have been temporarily idle in Pennsylvania and Ohio.

The American Car and Foundry Co., of Terre Haute, Ind., has closed its departments except the foundry and reduced the number of employees from 1,000 to 100.

While there is a general resumption at the glass plants in South Jersey the men go to work with a feeling of uncertainty as to how long they will be employed.

Because of the riots in Batavia, Ill., as a result of strikes in the different factories there, 60 strikers have been arrested.

The National Malleable Steel Casting Company's works, of Sharon, Pa., have resumed operation, giving employment to 1,200 men.

Street car strikers at Bloomington, Ill., are running track lines in opposition to the street cars.

Martial law still prevails at Telluride, Colorado, and many arrests have been made.

Cincinnati has organized an employers association to fight boycotts.

The striking Hoytton miners, 450 in number, have returned to work.

The master builders of Patterson, N. J., have locked out 1,500 artisans.

Hack drivers at Albany, N. Y., are striking.

Three old horses have been condemned and killed on complaint of directors.

One grocer in the city has received several complaints of his horses being poorly fed and abused as well. Many days are kept out all day having no dinner.

The attention of the proper authorities are called to the Riverside drinking fountain, the supply of water being inadequate to supply the demand for the past year. Horses are compelled to leave without getting enough water, and drivers have to whip them to make them leave. Last week it was timed and one farmer had to wait just ten minutes for enough water to supply his horses.

The directors are under obligations to Officers Hogan and Fanning for their promptness in responding to any calls made by members of this society, who certainly appreciate their help. Not only a vote of thanks but the best wishes of the society were extended to Mrs. John Peters for the work done by her the past three months, and the present success of the association is owing in a great measure to the work done by

All the leading hotels, restaurants and eating cars serve Mrs. Austin's Pancakes and breakfast.

LINK AND PIN..

News for the Railroad Men.

North-Western Road.
C. B. Smith, fireman on the Water-town passenger run has returned to work after an illness of a few days.

Engineer Charles Garbutt, of the north Wisconsin division reported for work this morning after taking a few days rest.

General Foreman Thomas Erickson was called to Harvard on business today.

A. J. Clark, boiler maker at the round house was in Harvard today doing some repair work.

Switch engine No. 1173 was sent to Harvard yesterday, after being thoroughly overhauled in the shops here.

Floyd Dunnwiddie worked in Machinist Lawson's place last evening while Mr. Lawson was acting as night foreman.

HOLD MEETINGS AT MADISON

Eight Conventions Scheduled for the First Week in February at Capital City.

Eight conventions, all to be devoted to agricultural interests, will be held in Madison during the first week in February. They are:

State Agricultural society, February 3 and 4.

Wisconsin Live Stock Breeders' association, February 3.

Gurneyay Breeders' association, February 4.

Red Poland Cattle Breeders' association, February 4.

Bee keepers, date not fixed.

State Horticultural society, February 2, 3 and 4.

Short Course Alumni association, February 3 and 4.

Wisconsin Tobacco Growers' association, February 4.

All the conventions will be held in the capitol. Railroads have granted a one and one-third rate from all parts of the state during convention week.

MANY BILLS HAVE BEEN INTRODUCED

The Committee Agreed, But Are Yet Unable to Agree on a Set Figure.

According to Arthur J. Dodge, Washington representatives of the Milwaukee Sentinel, there is a strong probability that the house committee on postoffices will not report a bill increasing the salaries of rural letter carriers, as the estimates for the rural service, based on present schedules, show a marvelous increase. Millions are now required to maintain this service. The demand for increased salaries for the carriers is strong. More than 100 bills have been introduced in both houses, on the subject. The committee is agreed that the compensation of the carriers should be increased, but it has been unable to agree on a figure.

The consensus of the opinion in congress seems to be that the carrier should receive at least \$900 a year, but the postal experts regard this amount excessive. They contend that rural free delivery in a few years is certain to become one of the most costly adjuncts of the department, and congress should proceed with great care in adding to the cost of the service. It is already apparent that the committee is opposed to increasing the salaries beyond \$700, and there is opposition to the provision in the Fairbanks bill proposing that the carriers shall be graded as in the city service. The committee favors a flat rate if any increase is granted, and this policy will prevail if it has a way.

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ROCKFORD WILL BOWL, THURSDAY

The Forest City Bowlers to Meet the Bower City Team on the Evening of That Day.

Arrangements have been completed by Robert Hockett, of the Hockett Bowling alleys, of this city for a match bowling contest between the Rockford and Janesville teams on Thursday evening, January 21, at 7:45 sharp, at the North Main street alleys.

The Forest City team is considered one of the finest in this section of the country, having won several games from some of the best clubs in the state of Illinois. The Rockford team is composed of the following players: Roberts, Hall, Welch, Warren, and Needham. The local team will be composed of Hockett, Ruhland, Gibson, Nolan, and Haumann. The game Thursday evening will be called promptly at 7:45 to enable the Rockford players to catch the last car home.

The directors are under obligations to Officers Hogan and Fanning for their promptness in responding to any calls made by members of this society, who certainly appreciate their help. Not only a vote of thanks but the best wishes of the society were extended to Mrs. John Peters for the work done by her the past three months, and the present success of the association is owing in a great measure to the work done by

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FARMERS TO MEET IN NEWARK SOON

INTERESTING INSTITUTE IS EXPECTED.

R. J. COE TO BE CONDUCTOR

Program for the Work is Laid Out—Many Farm Topics Will Be Discussed.

On Tuesday and Wednesday of next week, January 26 and 27th, a farmers' institute will be held at Newark.

R. J. Coe of Fort Atkinson is to be conductor and he will be assisted by L. P. Martiny of North Freedom, C. E. Matheson of Pewaukee, and E. E. Roberts of Corliss, he is a school for farmers where the topics discussed are of vital interest to the well regulated farms. The farmers and their families are all asked to attend and every farmer is asked to state his opinion freely in the discussions which follow the reading of papers.

The Program

The session opens Tuesday morning at ten o'clock. Mr. Coe has the first paper on fertility. Mr. Martiny follows with one on rotation, and Mr. Matheson closes the morning's session with a discussion of turkeys. In the afternoon the session begins at 1:30. Mr. Coe talks on fruits and Mr. Matheson on hens. Mr. Martiny has his topic assigned as the horse, and Mr. Roberts talks on sheep.

Wednesday Morning

The second day of the session will open with a discussion of clovers by Mr. Coe, followed by a paper on swine by Mr. Roberts, and good cows to be talked about by Mr. Martiny. Corn is Mr. Coe's topic and this ends the morning session. At 1:30 Mr. Martiny will tell of the care of milk and Mr. Coe will discuss farm gardens. Mr. Roberts will tell of improved

COUNTY NEWS

EVANSVILLE.

Evansville, Jan. 18.—Mrs. E. J. Ballard gave a series of parties to her friends last week.

Mr. Ulrich was buried at Belville Wis., today. He was 83 years of age and had lived in Wisconsin for 46 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartley, Mr. and Mrs. Copeland, Mrs. Fellows, David Van Wart, Carl Monushow, Lasson Gillett, entertained the Baptist young people last Friday evening.

Mr. Fullen is spending a few days in Des Moines, Iowa, with his mother and sister.

Prof. Scholtz spent Sunday at his home near Brooklyn, Wis.

Prof. Kiling of Chicago spent Sunday in town.

Era Walker entertains the Shakespear club this evening.

Miss Fanchon of Janesville is caring for Herald Reese at the home of Ed. Smith.

Mrs. C. P. Wilder and son Martin, spent Tuesday in Chicago.

Mr. Kleivenstein of Portage has opened a shooting gallery in town.

Mr. Ralph Stevens has been very ill but is convalescing.

Mrs. Ada Phillips has been suffering from a severe attack of rheumatism.

Chester Morgan and Ed. Smith attended "The Serenade" in Janesville on last Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Emery of Chicago spent Monday at the home of Mrs. Hartley.

Charity ball will be given in the second story of the new store built by the Evansville Mercantile Association, on Friday evening, Jan. 22.

NEWVILLE.

Newville, Jan. 18.—One of Herman Husen's children are sick.

Mrs. Fred Jennings is visiting in Milton Junction this week with her mother, Mrs. Borst.

Fay Bump of Janesville was in town Sunday.

Last Thursday Ellis Test shoulder ed his ax and went over to give Lake Davis a lift with his wood pile, free of gratis.

Mrs. Leroy Clark was very agreeably surprised on the evening of the 11th, it being her birthday. A goodly number called to help her celebrate, taking with them a token of remembrance.

Mr. R. Pierce took his wife and Mrs. Whitney over to Ben Coopers to attend the Ladies Aid Society, Thursday.

A number from here took in the Wileman Bros. auction at Sunday.

Rev. L. L. Thayer of Bloomer, Wis., was calling on his many friends in this town Friday and Saturday.

We understand that Mr. Willie contemplates giving up his mail route soon? Sorry? Sure thing. We shall all miss good natural Willie.

Mr. Adolph Lund and wife of Cambridge, visited Sunday with C. C. Reuter's family.

NORTH JOHNSTOWN.

North Johnstown, Jan. 18.—A number of the children in the neighborhood have the chicken pox.

Miss Agnes Shumway of Janesville has been visiting her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Newson.

Miss Daisy Hackett has been on the sick list.

Mr. John Jennings is hauling the stone preparatory to building a basement for his barn.

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Mrs. D. A. Dickenson is enjoying home grown oranges. A grand treat she is the proud possessor of an orange tree that bears at the present writing, ripe fruit, green fruit and blossoms.

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McClure of Chicago visited Mrs. C. P. Fenton the first of the week.

J. P. Towne has been circulating papers for the nomination of L. K. Luse as a candidate for supreme judge.

The neighbors of Mrs. Lucy Pringle met at her home Friday evening without an invitation. The evening was spent in social talks and playing cards. A pretty ring was left by the company when the departed.

A number of horses have been leaving this station this week, shipped to various points. Hedges Lumber company shipped one to Oconomowoc, Whittem Bros. shipped four to Brown Bros. at Rhinelander, to be used in their logging camp. Bart Curran shipped a colt to Hollande.

Two of our rural mail carriers, Harry Ifanson and Wm. Willie, resigned this week owing to the routes being lengthened.

C. L. Coulton has been shipping some of his stock and machinery from the Whittaker farm to his farm in Virginia the past week.

At the annual meeting of the Edgerton Telephone company the report was given that sixty new phones had been installed the past year. Improvements, the most important which was a new switch board were voted, involving an expense of about five thousand dollars.

Word comes from Milwaukee of the marriage of Miss Nellie Corbett and J. P. Bennett. Miss Corbett formerly resided here.

New ten and twenty dollars bank notes have been issued by the First National bank of Edgerton. They bear the signature of Geo. W. Doty, president and V. S. Kidd, cashier, and have created a great deal of interest among home circles.

Mrs. E. S. Lord left Thursday for her home at St. Louis, Mo. She was accompanied by her brother, Thos. Whittem.

Mrs. Harry Ash entertained the Royal Neighbors and their husbands Friday evening.

Albany Albany, Jan. 19.—Mrs. Augusta Livingston is improving slowly.

Mrs. Ernest Winter still continues very low.

Mrs. G. F. Golbach is quite sick with scarlet fever.

Mrs. Bert Richmond visited in Janesville Monday.

J. W. Silver and S. Tippet were Monroe visitors Friday.

E. F. Warren was in Brodhead on business Saturday.

Mrs. Flora Pierce visited relatives in Brodhead Saturday.

Miss Nellie Croat is clerking for the Albany Dry Goods Co.

Mrs. R. A. Barney came down from Monticello, Monday to attend the funeral of Miss Alice Comstock.

Miss Alice Comstock passed away at her home west of Albany early Sunday morning after an illness of several weeks. Funeral services were held at the home on Monday. Interment was in the Gap cemetery.

Mrs. Mary Rafter passed away at her home in this city on Friday, Jan. 15, at the age of 87 years. Funeral services were held at the Catholic church on Monday, interment being in the Catholic cemetery.

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LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining uncalled for in the Janesville Wm. Post office for the week ending January 20, 1904.

LADIES.

Armer, Sadie Miss; Ayers, Louisa Miss; Blackwell, Catherine Mrs.; Childs, Corn C. Miss; Daniels, Pearl; Dusen, Miss; Dell, Alfred Mrs.; Dunn, Anna Mrs.; Murry, Grace Miss; Miller, Nellie Miss; Place, W. S. Mrs.; Sivoyer, Viola Miss; Taylor, Anna Miss; Weston, Jessie Miss.

GENTLEMEN.

Baker, Geo.; Blackford, F. M.; Blough, A.; Dunn, Andrew, 2; Erdman, Gustav; Fawson, W. J. Dr.; Felt, Frank; Fornander, Chas.; Geiger, Bill; Lank, Andrew; Lard, Ferdinand; Lester, Oscar; Whiteman, Wm.; Williams, W. H.; Wilson, George; Yaege, H. B.; Jauerville Pub. Co.

PACKAGES.

Banion, Mary A.; Huggett, Nettie; Reed, Edward; Shew, Charles; Persons entitled for any of the above letters will please say "advertised," naming the date. O. F. NOWLAN, P. M.

Birds work for man from the first glimmer of light.

Rocky Mountain Tea works for mankind both day and night. That's why it is famous the world over and over.

It will not let you turn over and take another snore. A. Voiss Pharmacy.

A CARD.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Green's warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

J. P. Baker, Geo. E. King & Co., K. P. Hollister, Smith, Pepple's Drug Co., Peoples Drug Co., and W. H. Powers & Co., Janesville, Wis.

It isn't how much cold cream a woman puts on her face but how much Rocky Mountain Tea she takes inside that brings out real beauty.

Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea complexion stay. 35 cents, tea or tablets. A. Voiss' Pharmacy.

Dyspepsia—bane of human existence. Burdock Blood Blitters cures it, promptly, permanently. Regulates and tones the stomach.

Is it a burn? Use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. A cut? Use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. At your druggists.

Too late to cure a cold after consumption has fastened its deadly grip on the lungs. Take Dr. Woods' Norway Pine Syrup while yet there is time.

It's a mistake to imagine that itching piles can't be cured; a mistake to suffer a day longer than you can afford. Doan's Ointment brings instant relief and permanent cure. At any drug store, 50 cents.

The National Association of beauty seekers will never acknowledge that any beauty ills are incurable as long as they have Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Sensible women, 35 cents. A. Voiss' Pharmacy.

Milwaukee Journal: We protest against the habit of The Waupaca Dispatch of referring to the Neenan candidate for governor as "Sam-Cook." No man of Mr. Cook's stature and general dignity ever was, is not now, and never will be anything but Samuel.

When the crisp mornings come you will be delighted if you have Mrs. Austin's Pancakes for breakfast.

FUTURE ATTRACTIONS

Jan. 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23.—The Hibernian Imperial Stock Co. in repertoire.

Jan. 29.—George Ade's mirth provoking success "The County Charman." (Date not absolutely certain.)

"WE WILL BUY IT BACK"

Peoples Drug Company's Remarkable Way of Selling Mi-o-na, the Flesh Forming Food.

Just ask the Peoples Drug company what they think of Mi-o-na. It will not take you long to ask them, but it will take them some time to tell you all the good things they know of this remarkable flesh forming food.

It is natural for people to doubt, but when the Peoples Drug company frankly offer to buy back any empty boxes when Mi-o-na fails to restore health and increase the weight, and return the full amount of money paid, it silences the doubters and they cannot help but feel that Mi-o-na is an unusual and remarkable preparation. Used for a little while, this flesh forming food will show that it actually furnishes real nourishment, regulates digestion and increases weight.

Weigh yourself and then begin its use and the scales will soon show the good Mi-o-na is doing. It gives strength and tone to the digestive organs, makes rich, red blood and puts the whole system in proper physical condition. If it did not do what is claimed for it, the Peoples Drug company could not afford to refund the cost, 50c, in case it does not give complete satisfaction.

Every one who is thin, weak and out of health, should begin the use of Mi-o-na on these terms, for it costs absolutely nothing unless it makes you well.

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WALKS AND RIVER TO BE REGULATED

Alderman Matheson introduced Two Important Ordinances at Meeting on Monday Night.

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THE JANESEVILLE GAZETTE.

Entered at the post office at Janesville, Wisconsin, as second class mail matter.

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Rain, turning into snow tonight.
Colder Thursday with brisk north winds.

NOTICE TO PATRONS

Subscribers will confer a favor by reporting to the office any neglect on the part of carrier boys in the delivery of the paper. The boys are instructed to put the paper in mail boxes wherever they are supplied, and to call "paper" on delivery.

GAZETTE PRINTING CO.

NO INTERURBAN.

Evidently the Janesville resident who wishes to go to Madison by an electric line must wait for some time to come. Perhaps in the dim hazy future or score of years a road will be built which will be allowed to convey both passengers and package freight from Janesville, the rising metropolis of Southern Wisconsin, to Madison, the capital of the state, passing through the cities of Edgerton and Stoughton on their way up and perhaps able to stop at some of the fine suburban residences that are rapidly dotting the road way of the interurban of the future. By their action on Monday night the council practically killed all hopes of the Southern Wisconsin company over building the proposed road. If the statements of the gentlemen who applied for the franchise are to be relied upon no road will be built in the present status of affairs. It is too bad that all this talk of quick transportation facilities for the farmers and suburban residents, pleasant rides through the waving fields of the country with the shopping parcels from the big Janesville stores, is to come to naught. Janesville people, Janesville merchants want an interurban. They want a road and want it badly. Easy transportation for the rural residents with their shopping packages they might desire sent by the interurban line to be dropped off at their home as they passed by are apparently merely dreams of the future. The Southern Wisconsin interurban company asked for a franchise to build a road from Janesville to Madison. The matter was taken under advisement by the council and referred to a committee who in turn held many meetings and drafted a franchise with many changes from the original application. After several weeks of meetings and much talk the council last Monday passed a franchise to the Southern Wisconsin which this road say so different from their original application that they will not accept it and no road will be built. Here the matter lies. Evidently the council appreciates the want and needs of the people in passing a franchise for the construction of a road but the men who asked for the franchise say the requirements asked for in the new franchise are ones they can not accept and so no road. It was too bad but until the day future Janesville people who wish to go to Madison will have to ride on the steam cars with cinders and other discomforts or walk.

It does not take much courage to allow the blame for any accident from fire in public buildings to fall on the shoulders of an efficient chief of a fire department but if such a loss comes then would not all Janesville howl.

Judge Luse is sure to be elected. There should be no fight against him. He is a man well worthy of the place and the idea of one man gaining control of the state to suit his ends is more than rank anarchistic doctrine and should be quickly stamped out by an honest vote.

One would think that Iroquois with its awful loss of life would have been a warning to aldermen to look to the safety of buildings where the public might be in danger. But now leave it to the state laws to settle. When the fire comes they will be blamed.

The Boers from South Africa are to move to America the land of the free. Do not be too sure of this Master Boer. America was but not now. The politicians own it now. Why not apply to some ward alderman in Chi-

cago for a colonization plot about election time.

The difference between half past two and three is not much to the Pinkerton of the morning paper when it comes to announcing a fact that is afterwards disputed by all, the parties interested.

John Alexander Dowle went to San Francisco but he was not warmly welcomed as they thought he was going to be. In fact no one knew the future Elijah was in the wicked city.

Those English reports make John Bull as very anxious for Japan to sail in and whip Russia off hand. If the truth be known England is afraid the Japs will try to do just this thing.

If a bad fire and a great loss of life occurred in Janesville the grand jury would probably blame the rats. No one else surely. The council has left the state laws to decide.

South Main street and the Second ward will not be made into a stock yards as some people feared. The interurban road will not be built this year they say.

Another bad feature of this proposed Oriental war is that the new crop of heroes will spring up with names to sane man can pronounce easily.

M. Bryan is to start a daily paper in St. Louis during the democratic convention. Poor St. Louis. Bad enough to have the convention but then the Commoner.

Korea is hardly on speaking terms with the rest of the world now so important has it's cellar door become as a sliding place. My but she is a popular Miss.

The word has gone out Roosevelt is to be renominated if Wisconsin republicans can accomplish the fact. No factional fight on this question.

It is up to the fire chief and the state laws to make the public buildings in Janesville safe. The council has decided this question.

Janesville men are talked of the world over. Some of them get their names on matrimonial lists easily with kissing ordinances.

Illinois is having a fierce battle for the governorship. Would it not be funny if a democrat would win the plum after all the talk.

Maybe those lace industries can be made to pay now the great drain on them has left for the southern climes.

Brennen obtained a writ of habeas corpus but his poor fellow conspirators are forced to do their daily labor.

That Chicago council that sat up all night making theatre regulations have had a warm session all right.

Some American girls marry real nice foreigners but the majority have bad luck with their prize packages.

General Grant has stepped into his father's shoes as a military man as few sons have been able to do so.

Maybe Russia and Japan are waiting for the weather to become warmer before they begin their war.

State politics are beginning to boil. Bryant has begun taking back statements credited to him.

Bab sits in his seat at Washington and smiles at the actions of the little men in the state.

Wall Street would like to tell some people that there is no such person as Theodore Roosevelt.

It is a pleasing bit of sarcasm to call some of these meetings of politicians love feasts.

Judge Baensch's friends are becoming day by day more enthusiastic over his chances.

If Japan declares war on Russia, Russia will get mad and whip China just to practice on.

Isn't it funny that the Governor of New Jersey should be interested in the scenery.

Money should not be considered when public safety is to be planned for.

That interurban car must have been real mad to run into the switch engine.

Harmony on national politics is the one redeeming feature of the state situation.

If Korea does not know any better it is having a few first class lessons free of cost.

Many Rock county people like Mr. Cook and his methods of doing business.

It was the question of the meaning of package freight that stopped that road.

Who ever heard of General Bryant's respecting Hod Taylors wishes before?

Colombia has not had a top head for three days past. What is the matter?

Janesville comes to the front even with chickens who win prizes.

So Mr. Cooner is not to be the

choice of the administration for senator but is merely the choice of General Bryant in dudgeon. Too bad for Cooper.

Chicago has lost Dowle but Australia is to be pitied.

PRESS COMMENT.

Racine Journal: Close up the ranks. Harmony is one of the essentials in this presidential year.

Stevens Point Journal: Attorney General Sturdevant should resign and return to the obscurity from which he recently emerged.

Racine Journal: The more people get acquainted with Judge Baensch the better they will like him. He will make a governor, not a political dictator.

La Crosse Leader and Press: We suggest that Mr. Sturdevant be given a vacant lot and allowed to settle their controversy in school boy fashion. It really would be much more dignified.

La Crosse Leader and Press: The friends of Attorney General Sturdevant—and he has many here—will regret the whole affair. He has had a clean record up to this time. They cannot claim his record is clean now.

Chilton Times: Making public a letter intended for another is one of the despicable tricks of the present attorney general of Wisconsin, who bears the La Follette brand of "reform." Wisconsin's attorney general, who is supposed to enforce the laws, in this case seems to have broken one of them.

Princeton Republic: The candidates of Judge Baensch and Hon. S. A. Cook for the governorship in the interests of harmony and unification of the Republican party, are meeting with widespread approval. Republicans of both factions are flocking to their cause. There men are trying to eliminate all personal animosities and present a solid front with Roosevelt.

Appleton Post: Ex-Governor Peck is in Washington. He went down there to take a fall out of ex-President Cleveland and put a prop or two under the presidential boom of Mr. Hearst. The ex-governor talks and acts as if he were in earnest; but when we stop to consider the humane side of his nature, it is impossible to believe him capable of becoming the champion of a political degenerate.

Milwaukee News: However, the Sturdevant-letter episode is so characteristic of "reform" that it should not occasion more than passing comment. No doubt exists in the mind of the typical "reformer" that the opponents of the pure and unselfish are enemies of mankind and traitors to humanity, and that however disreputable the means may be to foil their fell purpose, justification is found in the sight of heaven.

Gillett Times: The disgraceful opening and reading of a private letter addressed to "Mr. Sturdevant" not "Sturdevant" at Madison by our present attorney general, and later turned over to the Ivey-Boby organ of Milwaukee for publication with a political view of "great expectations," appears to enhance rather than diminish the nauseating taste found in State Superintendent Cary's persimmons. A fine lot of tubs we have at Madison, preaching "regularly" "live up to principle," "reform" and kindred isms!

Madison Journal: A Milwaukee Norwegian Lutheran church has come to what all churches using foreign tongues must at some time. It has abandoned the Norwegian language and hereafter all services will be in English. There was not a dissenting vote against the change. The older people who cherish the traditions of their native land regret to see such changes, and, of course, it will take many years before the plan will be generally adopted throughout the northwest. Immigration along keeps the foreign tongues alive and when that ceases the tongues die with it.

SOMETHING GOOD ABOUT THE CITY

Janesville is Reported Throughout the State as a Prosperous Factory Town.

On a blotter advertising pad which is being gotten out by the Y. M. C. A. advertising the state meeting of the association at Oshkosh, March 10 to 13 and which is being distributed throughout the state, facts relating to the factories, capital invested, and the number of wage earners in the different localities. Twenty cities are named on the list and the total capital invested is figured at \$54,762,316. There are 8,329 manufacturing plants which employ 114,030. In the table given below the first column is the city, the second number of factories, the third the total capital invested and the last the wage earners. As will be seen Janesville ranks well in the list even ahead of Beloit that has bragged so much. That is if the table is accurate. Beloit papers repudiate it and say the man who wrote it had "bats in his belfry" which is a very serious disease if true.

Appleton. 210 \$4,975,307 2,226 Ashland. 129 6,017,653 1,830 Beloit. 103 2,693,539 1,055 Eau Claire. 148 4,756,338 1,858 Fond du Lac. 188 5,715,438 1,834 Green Bay. 191 3,338,717 1,719 Janesville. 184 2,620,833 1,710 Kenosha. 71 5,946,975 3,148 Manitowoc. 225 7,239,350 3,009 Madison. 195 3,810,042 1,806 Marinette. 135 2,581,859 1,146 Menasha. 67 8,070,648 1,833 Milwaukee. 3,342 110,356,814 43,328 Oshkosh. 286 8,018,038 4,687 Racine. 262 16,753,215 6,785 Sheboygan. 206 7,766,616 5,538 Superior. 185 5,882,562 1,958 Wausau. 137 3,094,178 1,642

MARKET TALK ON CHICAGO MARKET

Latest Gossip from the Closing Reports of the Windy City's Mart.

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 20.—Wheat: The market opened up with a tremendous trade, commission houses loaded with buying orders and local shorts falling over each other in their eagerness to get out. It was no longer necessary for the bull leader to buy wheat, the shorts took care of that and the story of the session from opening to close has been a constant advance; the only sellers were profit takers and the market was bare of offerings, except at higher prices. The cables were higher, receipts fair, and was news indifferent but after May had crossed '96 the scare became general and news of all description keeping up until the close which was at the top price of the day. The technical position of the market is somewhat weakened by the elimination of much of the short interest today but it is unsafe to sell wheat even at these prices. It bulls too easy and has a \$1 look about it.

FLOYD, CRAWFORD & CO.

TODAY'S CHICAGO MARKETS From the Hadden, Rodee Co., 204 Jackman Block, Janesville.

C. L. Utter Resident Manager.

Open. High. Low. Close

WHEAT—
May..... 40 1/2-41 1/2 39 1/2 39 1/2
July..... 33 1/2-34 1/2 33 1/2 34 1/2
Dec.....

CORN—
May..... 40 1/2-41 1/2 40 1/2 40 1/2
July..... 48 1/2-49 1/2 48 1/2 48 1/2
OATS—
May..... 41 1/2-42 1/2 41 1/2 42 1/2
July..... 37 1/2-38 1/2 37 1/2 38 1/2
LIVE STOCK MARKET

RECEIPTS TODAY

Hogs. Cattle. Sheep

Chicago..... 45000 23000 2500

Minneapolis..... 31100 11000 4000

Omaha..... 19000 2000 2000

Madison..... Slow

Hogs

U. S. Yards Open. U. S. Yards Close.

Mixed sh. 4,024 02 4,024 00

Good heavy 4,018 01 4,018 00

Bad heavy 4,020 00 4,020 00

Butcher 4,016 70 4,016 70

Recte 2,000 market slow left over 4000

Stockers 2,025 @ 4 1/2 Cows 1,500 @ 23

Holsteins 2,000 @ 5 00 Calves 1,500 @ 20

Bulls 2,000 @ 4 10 Calves 3,500 @ 20

Poor to medium 3,500 @ 10 Sheep slow rates 18,000 Lamb dull

Live Stock Market

FOR SALE—17 acres two miles from Beloit, Wis. Front on Rock River, 100 feet long and 100 feet wide. Electric Ry. excellent buildings: two dwelling; superb views; desirable in every way; ideal country home. Easy to get to. Apply to Fethers & Joffr, Janesville, Wis.

FOR SALE—Parties with small capital, to take part interest in or to buy my millinery department. Mrs. G. Endler, 113 W. Milwaukee street, Janesville, Wis.

FOR SALE—A pair of gold rimmed glasses with chain and pin, between Dr. Sutherland and Dr. G. Endler.

FOR SALE—

MERCHANTS TALK ABOUT FRANCHISE

GAZETTE INTERVIEWS A FEW REGARDING COUNCIL'S ACTION.

IS NOT FAVORABLY REGARDED

Most of Them Think That Liberal Freight Provision Should Have Carried—Some at Variance.

When asked as to whether the attitude of the Southern Wisconsin Interurban Ry. Co. towards the substitute franchise had undergone any change, this morning, Dennis Hayes said: "We cannot consider it. If the line was built it would be a different proposition but the men on whom we are relying to secure the necessary money to build the road will not let us have it with the freight provision as it stands. Three hundred and fifty business men and merchants here signed a petition that we be granted the full right to carry parcel freight. Some of the adherents have the presumption to say that these men did not know what they were signing, but we can hardly believe that. To accept the franchise as it now stands we are threatened with a law suit at the start. Webster's dictionary says packages are parcels, and parcels are packages. The attitude of the council men was this: 'We think you can carry all kinds of merchandise, such as stoves, carpets, and cans of milk, under our provision, but we don't know what the supreme court would hold.'"

Merchants Interviewed

A few of the merchants of the city were interviewed this morning. C. S. Putnam said: "The requirement that the interurban company use compartment cars is a sufficient safeguard for the public. We can't afford to send furniture by express, yet we want quick service. The majority of the men with whom I have talked regarding the action of the council don't like it. It is a certainty that Hayes and Jackman who are vitally interested in the heart of the city are not asking for anything that will hurt the town. The importance of this town as a terminus cannot be overestimated. The fact of its being a terminal for many roads has made Chicago."

Mr. Sutherland's Opinion

"They ought to be allowed to haul all the freight they want to," said Orion Sutherland. "They should have the same rights as the railroads. The competition is needed. George King expressed himself in a similar manner: "The city is asking more of this interurban than it did of the Rockford and Beloit road and should concede more. I don't think the farmers would expect to ship hay and stock in the cars." W. C. Hart said that as the railroads had built up the city if might seem that they should have a prior right to freight, outside of parcels and packages. There might be a danger that they would pull out of Janesville if this business was taken away from them. Still, he would have been in favor of granting the interurban company the franchise they asked for.

Fred J. Bailey

"We feel that the interurban company should have what they want in the way of freight-carrying privileges," said Fred J. Bailey of Bort, Bailey & Co. "We believe that competition is a good thing for the community and that the merchants would profit materially by having this means of shipping. We can see no objection to it, unless it be the protection of railroad interests which are pooled on transit charges and never give anything to Janesville. Why, if the Wisconsin Central railroad wanted to build in here the city would raise \$40,000 as a bonus and get them right-of-way in a hurry. It gave the North-Western that amount of money for a cut-off to Evansville just for the purpose of getting into closer communication with that city. But it won't give these people anything. The Southern Wisconsin agrees to use the same kind of cars employed on the Rockford line. There can, therefore, be no possible objection to the freight carrying."

S. C. Burnham

"If the farmer wants to send in his milk cans be ought to have the right to do so," said S. C. Burnham. "If he telephones for a piece of machinery to repair a broken implement he should be permitted to have it sent over this line instead of waiting several days for railroad freight delivery. For the benefit of merchants and farmers a good liberal franchise should be granted. No fear that our streets will be transformed into stock-yards under a provision of this kind, need be entertained. I would as soon have stock transported along the street in front of my house, any way, as some of these fellows they bring up from Beloit."

Baumann Brothers

In Baumann Bros' grocery it was the opinion freely expressed that the interurban company should take what the council was willing to give them, or nothing. "They ought to pay \$10,000 for the franchise as such companies are required to do in other cities," said one of the firm.

LOCAL FORESTERS GO TO MADISON

Several Members of the Local Lodge Attended Installation at Capital City.

Several members of the local lodge of the Catholic Order of Foresters attended the installation of officers at Madison last evening. Among those who went from this city were Installing Officer Thomas Birmingham, Cole Ranger Simon Risterer, A. J. Haunaska, Charles Daly, John Blier, Frank Baar, August Radke, James Kelly, Joseph Roach, F. Kahl and John Clark. After the installation of officers the members went to Kehl's new hall where a banquet was held. The evening was pleasantly spent and a fine literary and musical program was rendered. The party returned to this city this morning well pleased with the trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spoon are visiting friends and relatives at Clinton Junction.

FUTURE EVENTS

Regular mid-week service of the First Church of Christ Scientist this evening.

The Himmelte Imperial Stock Co. presents "A Daughter of the South" at Myers theatre, Wednesday evening, Jan. 20.

Rev. Carl D. Thompson of Lincoln, Nebraska, speaks under the auspices of the social democratic party at Foresters' new hall in Assembly hall block, Wednesday evening, Jan. 20.

LODGE MEETINGS TONIGHT

Olive Lodge, No. 27, Degree of Honor meets at hall, St. Patrick's Court, No. 318, W. C. O. F. meets at Foresters' hall, Interior Freight Handlers' union meets at Assembly hall, Federal Labor union.

BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL NEWS

Talk to Lowell: A. O. U. W. masquerade Feb. 1st. Undersheriff L. U. Fisher of Evansville was a Janesville visitor today.

Fresh dairy butter in rolls, 21c. Lowell.

G. A. Gearhart, who lectures on "The Coming Man" at the Y. M. C. A. Friday night, Jan. 22, is worthy of every citizen's presence.

Ben Hur dance tomorrow evening. Ben Hur dance at Central hall tomorrow evening.

Small navel oranges, 17c size, 18c doz. Lowell.

Hon. G. A. Gearhart at the Y. M. C. A. Friday night. Subject—"The Coming Man." Third number on Y. M. C. A. lecture course.

Best dairy butter, 21c. Lowell. The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. O. H. Thorson at 106 Highland avenue on Thursday at 2:30 p. m. sharp. A good attendance is desired.

Press notices place Gearhart on a par with Gordon, Gunnsaulus, Hills and Conwell. A lecture strictly on its merits.

Mr. A. H. Rook of Grand Marsh, Wis., is spending a few days with friends and relatives in the city.

The O. E. S. Study class will have the pleasure of hearing an address from Prof. Buell at the home of Mrs. T. O. Howe on Thursday afternoon.

Earl Graves, a former Janesville boy, has a good position with the C. & N. W. Ry. at Cherry Valley, Ill., as leverman in connection with the electric line running to Janesville.

Yes, women know how to "manage." Hundreds of them, by trading off the superfluous things about the house, secure, at trifling expense, useful things. They do it by using our Sale and Exchange columns.

L. H. Fifth, one of the F. M. Marzluff Shoe company salesmen, is spending a few days in the city the guest of F. M. Marzluff.

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WEDDING DAY OF COUNTRY'S FATHER

Anniversary of Marriage of Geo. and Martha Washington Observed Yesterday by Daughters of Revolution.

The wedding anniversary of Geo. and Martha Washington was fittingly observed by the local branch of the Daughters of the American Revolution yesterday. Forty ladies were the guests of Mrs. O. H. Fetherston at her St. Lawrence Place home and a literary program, including interesting papers by Mrs. W. G. Wheeler and Mrs. A. P. Lovejoy, was enjoyed.

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WHO WAS THIS MAN AFTER ALL?

He Was Locked In His Store While Asleep, and Told His Wife He Was Working.

Does any one know who was the prominent business man who went to sleep on Tuesday night in his private office and was not awakened until his wife called him up to find why he did not come home to supper? Meanwhile his clerks had put the lights all out, had locked the store up, and were at home enjoying their supper, and the post was on the boss. No one knows. Yet this man told his wife he was busy working on the books and would be up immediately, after she had rung the telephone several times to awaken him. Can you appreciate his wonderment at finding the store closed when he finally woke up? He was quick-witted enough, however, not to admit he had been asleep to his wife, but some way she knew it.

Vesuvius Long in Action.

The most recent excavations show that Vesuvius began its work as a conservator of antiquity earlier than the memorable year A. D. 79. During the excavations in the valley of the Sarno, near San Marzano, some most interesting antiquities have come to light. These had been covered up by a volcanic deposit about six feet thick, which points to an eruption of Vesuvius which must have taken place in the seventh century before Christ. The relics include a Greek burying place, archaic Italian tombs and various bronzes and terra cottas.

BUSINESS MEN MEET TOMORROW

TO TAKE UP PROPOSITION OF CANADA SUGAR CO.

READY TO BUILD THIS YEAR

Concern Manufactures Dry Feed from Beet-Pulp—Menomonie Falls Co. Sends Out 25 Men.

There will be an important meeting of the Business Men's association at the city hall at half past four o'clock tomorrow (Thursday) afternoon. All members are urged to be present.

L. B. CARL, president,

A. E. BINGHAM, secretary.

This call was issued this morning and it is expected that there will be a large and representative attendance at the meeting for which it is issued.

Sugar Factory Proposition

The proposed removal of the \$600,000 beet sugar plant of Dresden, Canada, to Janesville will be the subject of discussion. The concern asks for a site and offers to remove its factory here and have it in operation by the time this year's crop is harvested.

Word has been received from El Paso that Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sanner have left El Paso for Redwood, California, where they will spend some time. Their daughter will be left at El Paso in charge of Miss Alice Sanner, who will remain there. Miss Sanner is much improved in health and it is hoped the trip to the beautiful Redlands country will quite build her up again.

Marathon County: Cost \$3,500 to

\$4,000; no increase; all graduates with one exception, teaching; very noticeable improvement in teaching work; no interference with high schools; enrollment 50 applicants.

Manitowoc county: Cost less than \$4,000 per year; no increase; all of the 67 graduates but one (married) teaching; marked improvement in the school work; enrollment 57, accommodations for only 40, 80 applicants.

Richmond county: Cost \$3,500 to

\$4,000; no increase; all graduates with one exception, teaching; very noticeable improvement in teaching work; no interference with high schools; enrollment 56.

Spring chicken, 12½c lb.

Home boiled pork tenderloins, clean and lean, 30c lb.

Boiled corn beef, juicy and sweet, 18c lb.

Dellefous soft shell crabs; 5 times as large as big select oysters; roll in cracker crumbs and fry; large oval tins, 30c each.

Home baked ham thoroughly done, 30c lb.

Best rib roast, 10c lb.

Best round steak, 10c lb.

Smoked Flanin Haddie, 12c lb.

The reception coffee of the world, the Paul Revere brand, Mecha and Java, and cost you here but 25c lb. GRUBB PRODUCE CO.

SOCIETY.

BITS OF INTERESTING GOSPISS FROM EVERYWHERE.

Last evening the young ladies employed at the Rock County Telephone company's office surprised Mrs. Walter Anderson at her home, No. 7 Locust street. Mrs. Sanner was formerly Miss Lulu Bunt and was employed at the telephone office for many years. The party last evening was a complete surprise and the sixteen young ladies who comprised the surprising party presented Mrs. Anderson with a large mirror and a beautiful candleabra. A charming luncheon was served at the close of the evening's entertainment.

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about 20 friends in honor of a birthday at her Washington street home.

The evening was passed in cards, the first prize being won by Mrs. Hahn and Mr. C. L. Smith, and the consolation prizes by Mrs. Russell and Mr. E. J. Frances.

Tuesday evening Mrs. W. G.

Wheeler and Miss Jackman entertained five tables of friends at an informal duplicate whist party. The games were made, progressive, and the prizes were won by Mrs. Al Kavelage and Mrs. Burnham.

The King's Daughters of the Baptist church will meet tomorrow in the church parlors at 2 o'clock. It will be International day; picnic supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Marzo Bliss, 253 Locust street, are rejoicing over the arrival of a seven-pound baby girl, whom came to gladden their home yesterday.

What arrangements can be made with the North-Western Ry. Co. for a side-track to the proposed factory.

On the War-Path

The Menomonie concern this morning secured the services of a corps of twenty-five men and sent them out into Rock county to secure contracts with the farmers. It is war to the knife and there is a likelihood that interesting complications will arise when the Canada concern gets down to business here.

The next regular meeting of the Daughters of the American Revolution will be held the second Tuesday in February.

City Attorney Fred C. Burpo is rejoicing over the arrival at his home yesterday afternoon of a baby boy, Mother and child are doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Raught of North Fond du Lac are in the city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Raught.

On Saturday afternoon the Ladies' Afternoon Duplicate Whist club will meet with Mrs. Stanley Smith at her home, 166 Garfield, avenue.

Thursday afternoon, Mrs. Harry Carter entertains the Ladies' Afternoon Euchre club at her home on Pleasant street.

Miss Mabel Lee, the efficient bookkeeper at the W. W. Nash grocery, is confined to her home on Locust street, by illness.

Miss Elizabeth Walsh of Milwaukee is visiting in the city, the guest of Miss Margie Nicholson, Linn street.

Miss Rosetta Kue has returned from Milwaukee where she has been visiting friends the past week.

Miss Leah Rowe has returned from visit with relatives and friends in Denver, Col.

C. S. Jackman and Michael Hayes transacted business in Chicago today.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cunningham returned last evening from Chicago.

NEWS OF THE DAY IN TOWN.

Special Policemen: John W. Webb and Milton Weaver were appointed as special policemen without pay by Mayor Wilson Monday evening.

Enjoy Sleigh Ride: The scholars of the fifth grade of the Adams school enjoyed a pleasant sleigh ride on Monday evening in company with their teachers.

Refilling Ice House: The City ice company are today filling the ice house of the Schlitz Brewing company with several tons of the frigid article.

Employee Injured: Henry Cullen, an employee at the Janesville Machine company's plant, had the misfortune to get his fingers caught in the machinery. A thumb was taken off. Dr. Pember dressed the injury.

Interurban Snow Plow: The Rockford-Janesville interurban snow plow was in the city this morning clearing the company's tracks.

Quaint Saying: A small four year old third ward youngster was recently asked to a children's party. He was overjoyed to go and after being at the party some time and seeing the dining room table laid down with the delicious viands asked his nurse in a loud voice, "When does this party begin?"

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TAKEN FROM BED TO LOCKUP.

Edward Wink, aged 18 years, who has been doing apprentice work in the barber shop of H. A. Lamonde on River street, fared sumptuously at Morse & Flynn's restaurant after the dance at an early hour this morning. Having finished the repast he proceeded to wreck the dishes and then walked out without paying for food or china-ware. That was about 3:00 a. m., and there is a faint suspicion that the boy was intoxicated. About four o'clock this morning he was dragged out of his bed at his First street lodgings by Officer Fanning and taken to the lock-up. The lad comes from a respectable family residing in Watertown. Other charges will be brought against him unless his parents wish to make a settlement.

MAY LOSE CONVENTION.

It is Alleged That St. Louis Hotel Rates Are Too High.

Washington, Jan. 20.—Many complaints of exorbitant rates charged by the St. Louis hotels for accommodations during the Democratic national convention are reaching Washington and several Democratic national committeemen are talking of holding another meeting to deal with the matter. The hotels are demanding rates of \$6 a day when three or less occupy one room, and \$5 a day when four or more are wedged into sleeping apartments intended for one. These rates are in direct violation of promises made the national committee by the St. Louis delegation, which guaranteed hotel accommodations at the regular rates. Much criticism is heard in Democratic circles. It is believed many people who are contemplating visiting St. Louis during the exposition will be deterred by the experience of those who go there during the convention. Missouri Democrats are growing uneasy over the threat to reassemble the Democratic national committee and are attempting to persuade the hotel proprietors of St. Louis to reduce rates.

Better Crop Estimates.

Washington, Jan. 20.—The National Board of Trade adopted a resolution that a committee, consisting of the crop statistics committee of the board, together with delegates from commercial concerns, be appointed to co-operate with the Department of Agriculture in securing reliable crop estimates. Secretary Cortelyou of the Department of Commerce and Labor was the principal speaker at the banquet.

To Investigate Ship Subsidy.
Washington, Jan. 20.—The house committed on merchant marine and fisheries, by a strict party vote, ordered a favorable report to be made to the house on the Gardner bill providing for a commission to investigate the whole question of ship subsidy.

Payne Asks \$300,000.

Washington, Jan. 20.—An urgent deficiency appropriation of \$200,000 is requested of the house by Postmaster General Payne to enable the establishment of rural free delivery routes after March 1, when the present funds will be exhausted.

Smoot Makes Reply.

Washington, Jan. 20.—Senator Smoot has filed with the committee on privileges his second reply to the presentation made by Attorney Taylor. The reply places on record detailed denials of assertions made by Mr. Taylor.

Federal Building Contract.

Washington, Jan. 20.—The contract for the construction of the extension to the federal building at Kansas City, Mo., has been let to John C. Robinson of Chicago at \$311,911. Work will be completed by Dec. 1, 1905.

Plenty of Naval Officers.

Washington, Jan. 20.—According to the testimony of Capt. Bronson, superintendent of the naval academy, the United States will have naval officers enough in 1907 to man all naval vessels.

Omaha Postmaster.

Washington, Jan. 20.—Henry E. Palmer will be appointed as postmaster at Omaha, Neb. He was pressed for the appointment by Senator Milled.

CIGARETTES CRAZE A WOMAN

Miss Fannie McNabb is Ordered Sent to Kankakee Asylum.

Chicago, Jan. 20.—The constant use of cigarettes and intoxicants is alleged to be the cause of the unbalancing of the mind of Miss Fannie McNabb, who was adjudged insane in Judge Carter's court. She is 33 years old. For years, it is asserted, she has smoked a package of cigarettes daily. Two years ago she was sent to a sanitarium and after several weeks was released as cured. The court ordered her sent to the asylum at Kankakee.

Ousted for Swearing.

Terre Haute, Ind., Jan. 20.—J. S. Jordan, a sophomore at the Indiana Normal school university and prominent in athletics, was dropped from the rolls by the faculty because he swore at Kimmel, the physical instructor, in a basket ball game.

Hold Up a Town.

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 20.—Five robbers held up the entire town of McLean, Neb., and while two of the bandits were holding off the thirty citizens of the village the others broke the safe of the McLean State bank and took \$500.

Two Killed in Wreck.

Little Rock, Ark., Jan. 20.—Brakeman R. A. Clarke and an unknown

tramp were killed and several cars were burned in a rear-end collision of two freight trains on the Iron Mountain railway two miles south of Newport.

Mend Broken Neck.

New York, Jan. 20.—James Dunn, seventeen years old, is home again cured of a broken neck, after six months in the Wright hospital, where the slightest move would have meant death. His recovery was remarkable.

Firemen Are Injured.

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 20.—Mihalovitch, Fletcher & Co.'s distillery in East Pearl street was burned, the loss being \$250,000. Jose Rigby and Joseph Bocklage, firemen, were seriously injured by falling walls.

Still Partners.

Hamilton, Ohio, Jan. 20.—Dr. Martha Brown, an optician, has been granted a divorce from her husband and professional partner, Dr. Edwin E. Brown. They will continue to practice together.

Hall Caine Is Ill.

London, Jan. 20.—It is announced that Hall Caine, the novelist, is suffering from a general breakdown and has been ordered by his physicians to make an extended tour abroad.

Fatal Fire in Cafe.

Saint-Petersburg, Russia, Jan. 20.—Six persons were killed in a fire in a cafe here. The place was crowded when the blaze suddenly broke out, cutting off the escape of many persons.

Mrs. Mary P. Baker Dies.

Bellefonte, Ill., Jan. 20.—Mrs. Mary Priscilla Baker, widow of the late Congressman John Baker, is dead here, aged 60. She was a native of Columbiana, O.

WAR ON THE HARVESTER TRUST

Retail Implement Dealers Demand Lower Prices and Easy Terms.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 20.—A clash between the Western Retail Implement Dealers' association, meeting in annual convention, and the trust that controls the harvesting machine business was expected when representatives of the association met the agents of the International Harvester company. The executive board of the dealers, after a discussion of the recent merger, had decided to demand lower prices for harvester and longer time for payment. Previous to the meeting of the dealers and the agents the annual convention of the implement men's association was called to order and addressed by F. E. Meyers of Ashland, O., president of the national association. The annual address of E. Heaney of Syracuse, Kan., president of the Western association, followed. There are 300 delegates in attendance. Over 3,500 dealers from all parts of the country are present with displays of vehicles.

Theater Burns.

New York, Jan. 20.—The People's theater on the Bowery and two adjoining buildings were damaged \$12,000 by a fire which started in the stage loft of the theater. The theater is given over to Yiddish plays. A number of actors and stagehands were at rehearsals when the fire started, but all escaped unharmed.

DREYFUS GAINS A NEW POINT

Attorney General Favors 'Revision of Famous French Cane.'

Paris, Jan. 20.—The report of Attorney General Baudoin is favorable to Dreyfus, following the view adopted by the court which recommended a revision of the case. The attorney general has finished the examination of the case before the court of cassation. The decision of the court undoubtedly will be in favor of Dreyfus.

Reduce Military Guard.

Telluride, Col., Jan. 20.—The military force here is to be still further reduced and seventy-three men will be sent to their homes. Everything has been quiet here since the arrival of the troops.

Tennessee Favors Panama.

Nashville, Tenn., Jan. 20.—Resolutions have been adopted by citizens of Nashville requesting Senators Carmack and Bates to vote for the ratification of the Panama treaty.

ORDERS CONGRESS TO CLOSE

President Palma Summarily Adjourns the Session at Havana.

Havana, Jan. 20.—President Palma ordered congress to adjourn and the session came to an end soon after the receipt of the order. The presidential message said briefly that as the houses had not arrived at an agreement as to the date of closing the session, he directed an adjournment under the authority of the constitution. No objection was made in either house to this manner of closing the session. No other important measures are pending and the members for the most part are glad to get their freedom and to be able to take part in the election campaign.

Fine Hereford Burn.

Emporia, Kas., Jan. 20.—Eighty-three head of high bred Hereford cattle were burned to death in one of the big barns on Sunny Slope ranch, owned by C. A. Stannard. Many of the cattle, which took prizes at the international stock show last fall, were bred from the animals burned. Loss \$25,000.

A New York mining agent has been at work in the upper Michigan peninsula trying to organize all the mining interests affiliated with the steel trust in opposition to Roosevelt. The president has some friends among the Republicans who are angry at what they term an intrusion.

BETTING ON ELECTION IS LEGAL

Court Decides Man Who Lost Cannot Recover His Money.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 20.—In a decision by Judge C. C. Bland of the St. Louis circuit court of appeals the judgment of a lower court in favor of the defendant in a suit to recover \$500 which was paid on an election bet was affirmed. The case was that of A. G. Dooley of Paris, Mo., who in a bet on the result of a primary election put up \$500 with W. R. P. Jackson as stakeholder. Two days after the primary, before the result of the election was announced, Dooley tried to retract his bet, but Jackson would not allow him to do so. Dooley lost and the money was paid to his opponent. The lower court decided against Dooley, who appealed.

DESERTER GETS TWO BULLETS

Soldier at Fort Wayne Dies Because He Tried to Escape.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 20.—L. Warren, awaiting trial at Fort Wayne for desertion from company G, First United States Infantry, died from bullet wounds received while trying to escape. He and another prisoner named Richardson, also awaiting trial for desertion, dashed away from their guard while returning from fatigue duty. Guard David Stanford fired and brought down Warren with two bullets in the back, but missed Richardson, who was captured by another member of the regiment.

Will Escape Hanging.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Jan. 20.—The mother of Thomas Queenan, the wife-murderer, whose execution was set for Feb. 12, has received a letter from Gov. Ferguson stating that he would commute the sentence to life imprisonment.

Recover Rare Volume.

New York, Jan. 20.—A copy of Hawthorne's "Fanshake," which the Boston police accuse Frederick Henry Gates, a bibliophile, of having taken from the public library in that city, has been recovered here.

Failure at Elkhart.

Elkhart, Ind., Jan. 20.—As a direct result of the Indiana National bank failure another industry, the Mennonite Publishing Company, has gone into receivership.

Fatal Coasting Accident.

Dayton, Ohio, Jan. 20.—In a coasting accident Robert Nicholas was instantly killed and a number of occupants of a boat were badly injured.

Recognizes Panama.

Washington, Jan. 20.—The state department has been informed that The Netherlands has recognized Panama as an independent state.

Fire in Hotel.

Texarkana, Tex., Jan. 20.—Fire has destroyed the Sprague House. Loss, \$20,000. Twenty guests escaped.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Chief of Police John A. Russell of Columbus, O., died as the result of a stroke of apoplexy.

Francis H. Cook, president of a Minneapolis company with \$5,000,000 capital, is to die for diamonds in Kentucky.

The 5-year-old child of Edward Simpson, two miles east of Harrisburg, Ill., was burned to death while playing near the fireplace.

Leroy Harris, aged 16, arrested at Marion, Ind., confessed to fourteen recent robberies, including the theft of diamonds from Porter J. White, an actor, and four horses.

TALK OF THE CHICAGO MARKET

Yesterday's Report Regarding the Prices and the General Sliding Conditions.

The opening of the market yesterday hardly gave promise that wheat would make the 90 cent marks today. There were buying orders in the hands of commission houses and the session promised to be a bull one. A prominent bull started buying when around 89 cents but there was so little on the market that shorts took flight and the price was very easily advanced. There were serious damage reports from all over the winter wheat belt, which helped the market decidedly. Receipts were only fair. War news was lost sight of, such rumors as were floating around seemed to make for peace. It looks as if the country is short of the May and long July and the spread is widening all the time to the detriment of the long side. There seems to be little doubt that the bull leaders can put wheat to any price they desire and we think it rather a dangerous market to be short of. It gets higher every day and looks a purchase on slight reactions.

Corn has ruled very strong today and came within an ace of touching 50 cents. Receipts are light, demand heavy. No contract corn and Iowa settling corn from Nebraska. Sounds funny but it is a fact, buy corn.

Oats did not do as well as the other markets and there seemed to be a good deal of realizing. On any sharp break we believe them a purchase.

Provisions were steady with no particular feature. Trade not heavy and principally local. On sharp breaks take profits but buy back on a good break.

Floyd, Crawford & Co.

General Black Resigns.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 20.—Gov. Yates has accepted the resignation of General John C. Black as Vicksburg monument commissioner. Thomas Zum of Farina was appointed trustee of the Industrial School for the Blind at Chicago, vice William Ludewig of Chicago resigned.

Will Build Largest Bridge.

Halifax, N. S., Jan. 20.—Nova Scotia proposes erecting a great bridge across the Strait of Canso, connecting the Island of Cape Breton with the mainland. The total length will be 3,100 feet and 1,800 feet wide. It will be the longest bridge in the world.

Dowle at San Francisco.

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 20.—John Alexander Dowle of Zion City, Ill., arrived from Los Angeles almost unheralded. Few people at the depot recognized him. He was immediately driven to a hotel. "Elijah III." will sail for Australia this week.

Dies During Performance.

Lima, Peru, Jan. 20.—Francisco Pena, a Mexican chorister, died in the principal theater in this city while the performance was going on. The incident caused great excitement among the audience.

Friend of the Home—A fee of the Trust.

Francis H. Cook, president of a Minneapolis company with \$5,000,000 capital, is to die for diamonds in Kentucky.

The 5-year-old child of Edward Simpson, two miles east of Harrisburg, Ill., was burned to death while playing near the fireplace.

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